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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re Application of:         | ) |                        |
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| Frank MOELLER                 | ) | Group Art Unit: 3617   |
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| Application No.: 10/551,187   | ) |                        |
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| For: FOUR BRANCH DIFFERENTIAL | ) | Confirmation No.: 1812 |
| TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS          | ) |                        |

**Mail Stop - AMENDMENT**  
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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Before examining this application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this amendment.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
on page 17 of this amendment.

Remarks begin on page 20 of this amendment.